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PATENT

Attorney Docket No. 1414/67202

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ROSNOW et al.

Application No.: 09/998,892

Filed: December 3, 2001

For: **COMPUTER-IMPLEMENTED SYSTEM AND METHOD
FOR PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT**



May 7, 2002

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application dated April 17, 2002.

The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Status of Applicant

This application is on behalf of ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

The verified statement ☐ is attached or ☐ was filed on .

2. Documents Submitted Herewith

- ☒ Executed Declaration of inventor(s).
- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status.
- ☐ Sequence Listing (and accompanying Preliminary Amendment, Verification, and diskette).
- ☐ Verified English translation of application.
- ☒ Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application.
- ☐ Other:

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3. Application Filing Fee

APPLICATION FEES				
BASIC FEE				\$ 740.00
CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	
Total Claims	42 - 20 =	22	x \$18.00	\$396.00
Independent Claims	4 - 3 =	1	x \$84.00	\$ 84.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims(s) if applicable			+\$280.00	\$
Total of above calculations =				\$1,220.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity =				\$()
TOTAL =				\$1,220.00

4. Fee for Late Filing of Missing Parts

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for ☒ other than a small entity or ☐ a small entity.

Fee Due: \$130.00

5. Fee for Submitting a Non-English Specification

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(k), the surcharge for submitting a non-English specification is included.

Fee Due\$

5. Extension of Time

- ☐ Applicant petitions for a extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, the fee for which is .
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Extension fee due with this request: \$.00

6. Total Fee Due

The total fee due is:

Surcharge	\$130.00
Translation Fee (if any)	\$
Application Filing Fee (if any)	\$1,220.00
Extension Fee (if any)	\$

Total Fee Due: \$1,350.00

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7. Fee Payment

- ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$.
- ☒ Charge Account No. 06-1135 the sum of \$1,350.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

8. Fee Deficiency

- ☒ If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date Mailed: 04/17/2002

NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$480.
 - \$396 for 22 total claims over 20.
 - \$84 for 1 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1350.

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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02 FC:101	740.00 CH
03 FC:102	84.00 CH
04 FC:103	396.00 CH